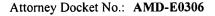
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3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply.									
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